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conveyed to Oquossip. At noon the Lewistown Commissary was entertained at the Barker Camp and the Bath Knights at the Alcock. The Numbered men were at the Mountain View. The special returning train arrived at New Bedford station at about 7 o'clock.

The Gift to the school, a fine engraving of the ruins of the Parson in Rome, was fittingly described and presented by Ralph Young.

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ALBANY.

There was a large attendance at the dance, at the Town House Saturday evening, June 20th. A number from Bethel were there.
The Town House School closed Friday, June 20th.
Mr. and Mrs. George E. Overer, of Norway are in town for a few days. Mr. Overer is helping care for his brother, Carter, who is very ill and Mrs. Overer is visiting old neighbors and friends. All are pleased to see that she is much improved in health.
Mrs. Fessenden and son, Glyndon, of North Waterford, spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. Ada Lord and Fessenden Bros. recently.
The L. R. T. Club met with Mrs. F. G. Brown, Wednesday, June 25th.

CANTONIA.
The last two hours being bright and clear.

BETHEL AND VICINITY.

E. B. Stearns is confined to the house by illness.
Mrs. J. A. Twaddle was in Lewiston, Saturday.
Mr. Wilbur Yates of Presque Isle is visiting in town.
The Delander is now occupied by a family from New Jersey.
Miss Howe of Hamford is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. H. Dean.
Miss Alice Duff of Boston is the guest of Miss Mildred Herrick.
Mrs. Dolly Tyler is spending a week with friends at West Bethel.
Miss Mauda Davis was confined to the house by illness, last week.
Clyde Pike and Scott Robertson have been painting A. T. Howe's house.
Mrs. Edson Cummings has been visiting her mother at Bangor the past week.
R. T. Peabody and daughter, Lucina, of Orland were in town, last Saturday.
Mr. Herman Mason attended the State Convention in Bangor, Tuesday.
Miss Lena Chadwick of Cambridge, Mass., is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Sarah Russell.
Miss Flint of Portland visited her grandmother, Mrs. Frank Barlett, Sunday.
Mrs. Brickert held a Musical Recital at the home of J. U. Partridge, Tuesday evening.
Rev. J. R. Carey of Dexter visited Mr. and Miss Gordon, one day last week.
E. C. Bowler, Jr., spent the first of the week with his grandmother, in Palermo.
Dr. and Mrs. F. I. Brown and son Dwight, of South Portland, came to Bethel the last of last week to visit Mrs. Brown's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Philbrook. Dr. Brown will return home the latter part of this week.
Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Merrill and son, who have been visiting in Andover, have returned home.
Mr. and Mrs. Alice Lawrence of Boston are visiting Mr. Lawrence's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Lawrence.
Miss Martha Horton, of Los Angeles, Cal., who is visiting relatives in town, is a guest at H. N. Upton's, this week.
Mr. and Mrs. Allen (nee) Veda Bennett of Portsmouth, N. H., were guests at Mr. Frank Flint's, a few days last week.
Mrs. Cushing, nurse from W. Bethel, is still with Mrs. Howard Coburn. The mother and little daughter are doing very nicely.
Mrs. Bryant and two children of Rockford are visiting Mrs. Bryant's mother, Mrs. Helen Stearns and sister, Mrs. Willey.
Mr. Samuel Stowell and daughter, Mrs. Frank Lovejoy, who have been visiting Mrs. Darkey returned to their homes, Saturday.
Mr. Porter Stearns of South Paris and Mrs. Billings and son of Mass., were guests of Mr. Stearns' daughter, Mrs. E. C. Park, Sunday.
Gilbert W. Tuell who has been spending a two week's vacation with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. P. D. Tuell, started for Springfield, Ill., Wednesday.
Miss Miriam Herrick, who has been attending the New England Conservatory of Music in Boston, is spending the summer with her parents, Judge and Mrs. Herrick.
Miss Gladys Loring of Yarmouth, visited her aunt, Mrs. Wm. Kendall, Sunday. She was accompanied home by her sister, Miss Doris Loring, who has been spending a week here.
Mrs. Vase went to Dunsmuir, N. H., Thursday to visit her son, Fitz who has been teaching the c. She attended the closing entertainment, and returned home with him, Saturday; they are very anxious for him to return to Dunsmuir to teach the Fall term.

E. B. Barker of Norway was in town, Saturday.
Addie Gordon is spending a week in Cumberland.
E. H. Young and wife spent Sunday at Old Orchard.
Mrs. M. J. Robbins has returned to her home in Portsmouth, N. H.
Mrs. Wm. R. Chapman is visiting relatives in Chicago, Ill.
Clower Bean U. of M., '08, is visiting his parents, H. H. Bean and wife.
Mrs. H. S. Jodrey is in North Anson caring for her sister, Mrs. Cobb, who is ill.
Mr. True and sister are occupying their new rooms in "The Delander."
Carl and Paul Stephens, Arthur and Robert Bryant and Wilmer Braden, a touring party from East Sumner, passed through here Thursday, on a trip to the White mountains.
Miami Eagle went to Jefferson, N. H., last Wednesday to attend the graduation of her cousin from the High school. She returned to Bethel, Monday.
Steve Byrd and wife of Gorham, N. H., were in Bethel, Tuesday, en route for North Bridgton, where they will attend the Centennial of the Academy. Mrs. Byrd is a member of the class of 1900.
Mrs. L. T. Barker was called to Portland Tuesday, by the death of Mrs. J. U. P. Barnham. Mrs. Barnham will be remembered by Bethel people, she having at one time resided here.
Miss Clio Russell who has been spending a two week's vacation with relatives in Cambridge, Mass., returned home last Friday, and resumed her work in the Post-office, Monday.
Elmer Stowell's horses became frightened by an auto one day last week, causing him to be "thrown from his wagon, and by the fall and kicks from the horses, received some severe bruises.
Mrs. Charles Cross took the graduating class from the "Brick" (with a number of invited ones) from the Academy and Miss Whidden, to a picnic ride at Locke's Mills, in a hayrack. They enjoyed the day very much, Mr. Hastings, many thanks to him, furnished a freer of ice-cream.
J. W. Nelson was in Portland, Saturday.
Albert Barbank of Portland was in Bethel, Tuesday.
Mrs. Hepzibah Mason of Gorham, N. H., spent Sunday with her son, Herman Mason.
The Ladies' Club will meet with Hattie Foster, Thursday afternoon, at five o'clock.
Carroll Soule of South Portland, Bowdoin, '06, spent Sunday with Gilbert W. Tuell.
Ethel Farwell has closed her school in Kittery and is doing table-work at York Beach.
The Grand Army and Woman's Relief Corps held their annual Field Day at Bryant Pond, Wednesday.
H. C. Andrews, wife and daughter Bessie, took an auto trip to Rumford Falls, Saturday.
John Preston True of Boston is spending a few weeks with his sister, Mrs. J. G. Gehring.
Simson Brown is quite ill at the home of his son Charles Brown, in the Steam Mill district.
Mrs. Samuel Eames, little son and daughter Rena of North Newry were in this village Tuesday.
Mason Edwards and family have arrived in Bethel and are occupying their summer home on Broad street.
Miss Mildred Mansfield who has been visiting her uncle Rev. Frank Mansfield, has returned to Orono.
The Ladies' Church Aid will meet with Mrs. Wesley Wheeler, on Chapman street, Thursday afternoon.
Mrs. John Lovell who has been visiting Rev. W. C. Curtis and wife, returned to her home in Waldoboro, Tuesday.
H. F. Inman will give a Fourth of July Ball at Mountain Side Hall, Walker's Mills, Friday evening, July 3.
At the regular meeting of Brown's Relief Corps next Wednesday evening, July 8th, there will be an initiation, also a short program consisting of the delegates' report from the Department Convention, solo by Angie Chapman, etc. All members are requested to be present.
Harry Purlington is clerking in H. S. Pashard's drug store.
Mr. Spaulding entertained his brother and family, Sunday.
Lula Cummings visited her grandparents, O. J. Cross and wife, in Albany, last week.
Mrs. C. W. Hall was the guest of Dr. and Mrs. G. L. Sturdivant in Yarmouth, Sunday.
Benj. Kimball and family have moved into the up stairs rent of Earl Barker's house.
Robert Bibbee and Wilbur Yates of Presque Isle started for the summit of Mt. Washington, Monday afternoon.
Mrs. J. U. Purlington and Miss Belle Purlington returned from Brunswick, Saturday afternoon.
Elizabeth Chapman, a teacher in New Rockford, N. D., has arrived in Bethel, and will spend her summer vacation with her brother, H. N. Upton, and wife at her old home.
Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Metcalf and daughter Therese and Miss Cragin attended the North Bridgton Academy Centennial, Tuesday.
The ladies of the Methodist church will serve a baked bean and salad supper on the lawn at the parsonage, Saturday night at 6 o'clock. Come and have a social time, and eat all the good things provided on this glorious Fourth of July.
Next Sunday being Communion Sunday at the Congregational church, there will be a preparatory lecture in the Chapel Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock. A full attendance of the members is desired and others will be cordially welcomed.
Prof. F. E. Hancoc, H. N. Upton and E. C. Bowler attended the State Convention in Bangor, Tuesday. They made the trip as far as Waterville by auto, leaving Bethel, Sunday morning, spending a day at Mr. Bowler's old home in Palermo.
Dr. and Mrs. R. R. Tibbitts went to North Bridgton in their auto, Tuesday, to attend the Centennial of Bridgton Academy. Dr. Tibbitts is a graduate from there and Mrs. Tibbitts' brother was at one time principal of the Academy.
Chester.
Bacon—What makes him so cheery?
Robert—Why, when he goes away he takes it trunks with him!

WEST BETHEL.

The Local Happenings as By Our Special Reporter

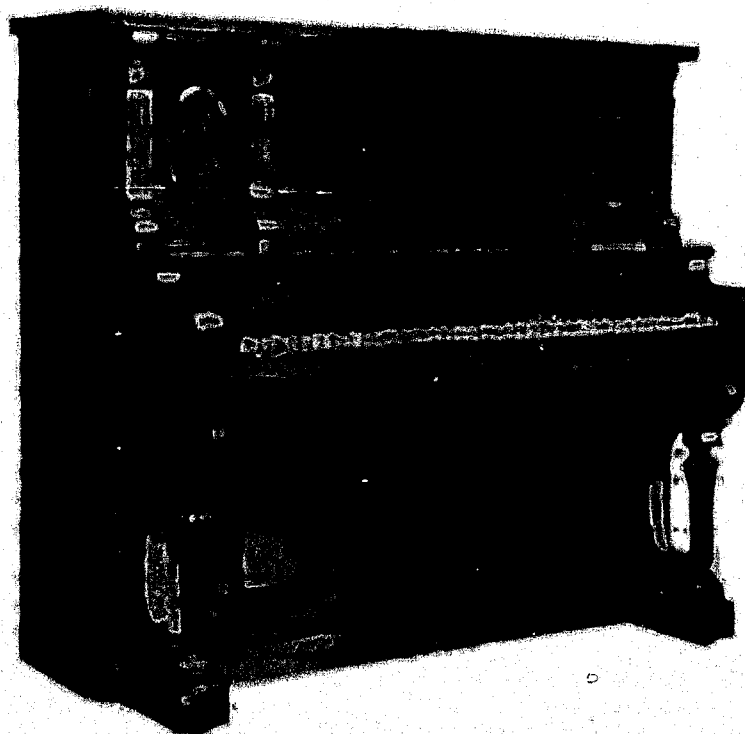
Charlie Robbins and Glen Mason in Bethel last Monday.
E. J. Bell caught a trout last that weighed 1 1/2 pounds.
Joe Sweet and wife are over the birth of a baby girl, born 22.
Leland Mason, has finished his monument in the cemetery.
Ethel Allen from Brookline is her parents, L. E. Allen and wife, few days.
Marion Morrill has been obliged to leave the Post-office for a few account of the mumps.
Mrs. J. E. Pike and friend Boston, visited Bethel last Thursday.
E. H. Scribner caught a fine of trout, two weighing 1 1/2 pounds.
The river drivers are again village.
George Rolfe and wife went to Waterford last week to visit Mr. brother, Henry, who is in a there.
Mr. Cummings, from Lockes M. in this village last Wednesday.
Mrs. E. J. Bell, still remains the same.
M. M. Whitman and daughter, from Worcester, Mass., call friends in town one day last week.
E. J. Bell was in Bethel one week.
Cyrus Rolfe and Mrs. George went to Yarmouth last Wednesday to attend the funeral of Mr. brother, William who died of only of heart trouble.
Mrs. J. E. Pike's niece, M. and friend, who have been here for a few days have returned their home in Boston. While they took some fine drives.
Marion Morrill is quite sick writing.
Ethel Skilling of Portland is her grandparents, George Mason on the north side of the river, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Denison in South Paris, Saturday.
T. W. Vanhook, came up from Friday, returning Saturday wife went back with him.
Ma Stiles visited Edgar and Iman in Bethel, Saturday.
Eliaworth Wilbur came home Saturday over Sunday.
There are a large-party of young men going on to Caribou Mt. to spend the 4th.
Harry Hutchins and wife, Bangor, Saturday.
S. W. Porter is very poorly writing.

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The Local Happenings as Told
By Our Special Reporter.

Charlie Robbins and Glen Mason were in Bethel last Monday.
E. J. Bell caught a trout last Monday that weighed 1 1/2 pounds.
Joe Sweet and wife are rejoicing over the birth of a baby girl, born June 22.
Leah Mason, has finished sitting his monument in the cemetery.
Ethel Allen from Brookline is visiting her parents, L. E. Allen and wife for a few days.
Marion Merrill has been obliged to leave the Post-office for a few days on account of the mumps.
Mrs. J. E. Pike and friends from Boston, visited Bethel last Thursday.
E. H. Scribner caught a fine string of trout, two weighing 1 1/2 pounds a piece.
The river drivers are again in our village.
George Rolfe and wife went to East Waterford last week to visit Mr. Rolfe's brother, Henry, who is in business there.
Mr. Cummings, from Lockes Mills was in this village last Wednesday.
Mrs. E. J. Bell, still remains about the same.
M. M. Whitman and daughter, Arline, from Worcester, Mass., called on friends in town one day last week.
E. J. Bell was in Bethel one day last week.
Cyrus Rolfe and Mrs. George Rolfe went to Yarmouth last Wednesday to attend the funeral of Mr. Rolfe's brother, William who died very suddenly of heart trouble.
Mrs. J. E. Pike's niece, Miss Dix and friends, who have been here visiting for a few days have returned to their home in Boston. While there they took some fine drives.
Marion Merrill is quite sick at this writing.
Edna Skillings of Portland is visiting her grandparents, George Mason and wife on the north side of the river.
Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Denison, visited in South Paris, Saturday.
T. W. Yuskaw, came up from Roxbury Friday, returning Saturday and his wife went back with him.
Ma Stiles visited Edgar and Walter Juman in Bethel, Saturday.
Elsworth Wilbur came home from Roxbury over Sunday.
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E. E. RANDALL, BETHEL.

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DRUGGIST, Bethel, Maine.

EAST BETHEL.
Mr. Clarence Annis is working for Porter Farwell.
Miss Blanche Bartlett has gone to New York.
Miss Amy Bartlett is at home from teaching at Rumford, for the summer vacation.
Mrs. S. E. Rich of Berlin, N. H., is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. M. Dean.
Mr. Horace Swan and family and Mrs. Ada Abbott of Paris were guests at J. H. Swann last week.
Mr. H. E. Bartlett is doing mason work for Roscoe Glimes, in Rumford.
Mr. J. M. Bartlett has his house finished on the outside and ready to lath and plaster inside.

GROVER HILL.
Karl Stearns and Evander Whitman were members of a school party from Bethel, who spent Saturday at Locke's Mills.
Moses Coburn and wife of Northwest Bethel were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sanborn, Sunday.
Harry A. Lyon returned to his home in Auburn Thursday, after a ten days visit with friends here.
True Brown and nephew, Holden Sawin of So. Waterford, are at Mr. Brown's home here for a few days.
Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Tyler recently visited relatives in Harrison and Bolster's Mill.
Beatrice Blake who has been very ill is much improved.
Mr. M. M. Whitman and daughter, Arline of Worcester, Mass., have been guests at A. J. Whitman's.
Mrs. Mary Paine has moved her furniture and will visit relatives here and in Newry before going to Chubbogus, for the summer.
Mrs. Jacob Paine and Mrs. Martha Cook of Newry were recent guests in the place.
Joseph Spinney spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Spinney.

GRAFTON.
Archib. Griffin, of Milan, N. H., called on friends in town Monday, June 22.
Mr. Roy Otis and wife, of Quakoes, are guests at his mother's, Mrs. Mary Otis.
Mr. and Mrs. Davis Fleet of Sunday River, and family visited at her mother's, Mrs. M. H. Tyler's, on Saturday and Sunday.
Mr. Blanchard and his friend of North Newry, Mr. Paine were in town Friday enjoying the pleasures of fishing. They each got a nice string of trout.
Mr. Hague, who is the Upton minister for this season was in town calling, on Friday.
We are glad to see our Post-office presenting such a fine appearance with its roomy piazza and its new coat of paint.
Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Abbott, of Upton were in town Tuesday evening, calling on friends.
Quite a few out of town sports are here enjoying the pleasure of fishing in Grafton stream.

Among the sick ones the past week, are Arthur and Elmer Parker, also Mrs. Gilbert Tyler. There seems to be a disposition going the rounds.
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Tyler took a trip to Bethel and Sunday River, calling on friends and relatives the first of the week.

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LOCKE MILLS.
Mrs. A. B. Seaborn of Bethel visited friends here the first of last week.
Miss Belle Brown who is employed in the wool-mill at Dixfield, is enjoying a vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Brown.
Mrs. Clara Brown and Mrs. Frank Harthorn and two children visited Mrs. Harthorn's mother Mrs. John Titus at Bryant Pond, one day last week.
Charlie Tebbets spent Sunday with his parents at Auburn.
Mr. and Mrs. Lovejoy, of Norway and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rand of Carleton Corner, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Stowell, Sunday.
Mrs. Abiel Goss and little daughter returned Sunday from Andover, where they have been visiting a few days.
Mrs. R. C. Clark and two sons, of Bangor, Me., who are visiting Mrs. Clark's parents at East Bethel, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. P. A. Frost.
Mrs. Piper and Mrs. Eastman of Hildre, are spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Farrington.
Mrs. James Treacher is receiving a visit from her sister, Mrs. Nettie Marple of South Paris.
Mr. Candon of Berlin, N. H., spent Sunday with Ray Brown at his home here.
Mrs. T. L. Lapham and children of Rumford, are visiting her mother, Mrs. Harriet Herrick, while Mr. Lapham is doing mason work on James Bartlett's new house, at East Bethel.
Mrs. Addison Bryant is visiting her husband at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Foster.
Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Woodman entertained Mr. and Mrs. Bert Woodman and family from Moulton's Falls, Sunday, at their cottage on the shore of Round Pond.
Samuel Stowell of Ohio is visiting his brother, Chas. Stowell.
Robert Carr of Yarmouth was the guest of Arthur Stowell the first of the week.

CANTONIA.
The first of last week
DR. PARMENTER

NEWRY.
There was quite a number went from here last Saturday to Hanover to witness the ball game played by Hanover and Newry.
W. F. Small made a business trip to Portland last week.
A. H. Powers is at Upton this week working for Bennett Morse.
Henry Douglass and wife are visiting relatives in town.
John Kellogg, wife and two children are at R. W. Kilgore's, No. Newry.

NORTH NEWRY.
Mr. and Mrs. William Warren have been very busy of late in renovation of their home having bought the finest of household furniture to be had and we do not doubt but what they now have one of the finest homes in this locality and we all wish Mr. Warren and his bride much success and happiness.

BRYANT'S POND.
The Manger family have arrived from Plainfield, New Jersey and are stopping at their cottage on Gurnsey Island.
Thomas Green has bought the Geo. W. Waterhouse farm and will take possession this week. It is understood that Mr. Waterhouse has purchased the Eleanor Whitman property.
Ex Marshall Waterhouse and family of Portland were the guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Freeman.

Pottengill Company, No. 29, of Rumford, numbering 44 men came over Saturday night and mustered in twenty-seven members of Fraternal Lodge K. of P. for the uniform rank. The officers of the company are Fred Cole, D. G. Hayes and C. E. Cole. Meetings for drill will be held once a month.
The Republican Jolegates left here Tuesday morning for the Bangor Convention. J. M. Day though not a delegate, attended the convention.
Many old fields look as though they had been swept recently by fire.
The hay crop in this section will be the lightest in many years.
With the high price of grain and the prospect of a great scarcity of hay, many farmers will get rid of their surplus stock early.
Pythian Sunday was extremely hot yet there was a good attendance at the exercises. The Uniform Rank led the procession to the cemetery where appropriate services were held, lasting until 3:30 p. m., at which hour the Rev. J. H. Little of the South Paris Lodge delivered an address from the Universalist church.
Webster Farnum of Waltham is visiting his parents here, Mr. and Mrs. James H. Farnum.
Two games of ball were played on the common here Saturday. The first was between the Junior Club and Milton Plantation which was won by the Juniors in a score of 26 to 6. The next game was the Juniors vs. the stalwart, first nine of the town and it proved the most exciting and lively part of the program this season, the Juniors winning by one score.
The free High School will close this week, Mr. Cole has had charge of this school for several terms. He is an efficient teacher and it has been made a profitable school under his instruction.

MARSHALL DISTRICT.
Miss Mary Pitts closed a very successful term of school, last Friday, with an entertainment and treat which was enjoyed by all present. Teacher and scholars invited the parents and all who were interested in the school. Mr. and Mrs. George Briggs, Mrs. Lydia Fernald, Mrs. Charles McAllister, Mrs. Carter Grover and Mrs. Myra Lord from this part of the town accepted the invitation. The scholars presented the teacher with a very nice shirt waist, and she remembered each pupil with a box of chocolates. It is earnestly hoped that she will return to teach the fall term.
Henry Kegg has purchased another horse.

Alice Cole called on Mrs. Ann Kennel, last recently.
Mrs. Harry McNally and two children, spent part of last week with her brother, Henry Kegg.
Mr. Harry Hutchinson and his sister, Miss Emma, of Bethel, were guests at Geo. Briggs, Saturday and Sunday.
Hervey Saunders, of North Waterford, called at C. H. Fernald's last Sunday.
Mr. J. Dwyer, of Berlin, has been spending a few days in town, calling on friends and relatives.
Mrs. Josiah Conners visited Mrs. A. A. Bruce part of last week.
Carter Grover is very low at this writing.
Mr. Doughty, of Norway, called at Mrs. Briggs recently.
Mrs. Rita Saunders returned home, Saturday, after a few days visit with relatives in Portland.
Sime and Irene Briggs are feeling very good over a little cold.
Miss Kenniston is working for his uncle, James Gephill.

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NORTH WATERFORD.
Mr. Will Rice, wife and children are staying at the place formerly owned by J. F. Rice.
Mr. Geo. Marston and wife have been visiting here.
Mrs. Lizale Littlefield is visiting with her mother, Mrs. G. E. Farmer.
Mrs. H. E. Rice assisted Mrs. Bertha Saunders with her work several days last week.
Mrs. Geo. Kneeland of Weld, who has been visiting in town has returned home.
Mrs. Louisa Rand of Albany has been visiting relatives in town.

The village people were shocked last Monday morning to hear of the death of Mrs. Rosa Bryant Bangcroft, who died of quick consumption, she left two small children but the baby died next morning and was buried in the casket with its mother, her funeral was at her father's home, Wednesday, at 2 p. m., conducted by the Rev. C. H. of which she was a member.

Mrs. J. C. Sawyer visited her daughter, Maude McAllister last Thursday.
Wallace Jones hauled E. B. Sawyer's household goods to Lovell village. He is to blacksmith in the Eastman shop I understand.
Master Carroll McAllister picked ripe blue berries, June 28.

ERNALD'S MILLS.
G. H. McAllister and O. H. Saunders are working on the road.
Frank Grover was at home from No. Albany over Sunday.
Mrs. Ora Saunders has been visiting relatives in Portland.
Fred Cummings was up from Harrison Saturday and attended the dance at the Town House in the evening.
Carleton Saunders is working in the mill, for W. B. Perkins, at North Waterford.

Watson McAllister and Nelson, of Watford, were working on Dr. C. M. Coolidge's farm last week.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles McAllister and Master Clarence, spent the day at Lynchville, last Thursday with Mr. McAllister's sister, Mrs. Elmer Cordwell.
Will Rand of South Paris came over Saturday night to spend Sunday with his sister and her family, he brought his graphophone, and 80 records and gave them quite a concert. Mr. Rand's finger is getting better, so he has been able to work some the past week, but the joint is so enlarged that he will probably always have a stiff finger.
We had a very heavy frost last Wednesday night but the fog in the morning prevented it from doing much damage, as it otherwise would have done. Wet clothes laid out on the grass Wednesday night were frozen stiff, Thursday morning.

Mrs. P. M. Flint and Mildred Hugg, who have been stopping in Portland for the past six weeks, returned home Sunday. Mrs. Flint is somewhat improved in health but is still far from well. Little Miss Mildred is delighted to be at home again after having for six weeks only the narrow limits of a city yard for a play ground.

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as they Join the Home Circle at Evening Tide.

Editor's Note.—It is our desire to make this department one of the most in-
teresting and valuable features of the whole paper. To this end we ask the as-
sistance of our readers. Choice verse and gems of thought will be gladly re-
ceived. Here are our thanks for anything that our friends have sent or may send.

The Northern Summer.
The Northern Summer is the sweetest
thing,
First comes the arctic like a fire a-wing,
And then along the woodland's brook-
let brisk,
The willow lights its tender stars of
pink,
And she is here—
The loved, the lost, the longed-for, the
most dear.

The Northern Summer all our joy com-
pels,
The bobolink is tinkling silver bells.
Adown the meadows, in the grasses
high,
Like clustered gems the rich straw-
berries lie.

The Northern Summer, like a day-
dream glides,
The waterlily's silver shallows ride
Upon the stagnant stretches of the fen,
The dragon-fly's blue arrow speeds
again,
And Hope is met
With swift fulfillment, banishing regret.

The Northern Summer—ah! who does
not know
Its light, its gleam, its ecstasy, its glow!
More loved because so fleeting and so
free,
Gone like a rose that shatters in the
gale.

Only a fragrant memory in the mind,
An invitation.
Miss July presents her compliments,
and heartily extends
A cordial invitation to her very dear-
est friends.

To spend a whole long month with her
—full thirty-one days—
When she will entertain you all, in lots
of different ways.
She'll give you lovely roses, and daisies
by the score,
With pansies and forget-me-nots, and
sh, so many more!

And if you're fond of music—a concert
she will plan,
For she can summon singers that no
other hostess can.
Her feathered prima donnas are the
best ever heard—
The orioles and robins, each happy
singing bird.

And if you are artistic, she has pic-
tures large and small,
Whose subjects are so varied she can
surely please you all.
A landscape bathed in sunlight, or
moonlight on the sea,
Some sleepy cows in pasture, or a
shady chestnut tree.

Whenever you are hungry, she can give
you lots to eat—
And isn't cream and strawberries a
most delicious treat!
So write her your acceptance and be
sure to send it early,
And then I know we all will spend a
lovely month with July!

A Model Home.

We often wonder why there are so
many homes that can safely be spoken
of as model homes. It would seem as if
those who have these lives in the coun-
try—where daily occupation brings
them in constant contact with the
varied beauty of field, and forest,
mountain, and plain—who are con-
stant witnesses of Nature's great
wonders—would, of necessity, be
filled with noble thoughts; that their eyes
would gather continual delight from
the beauties about them; and their
whole lives shape themselves in grand
or forms as a natural result of their
surroundings. Yet it is sadly and
true that in gathering up riches for
the future—which after all they may
never behold—they forget the claims
of the present, and allow their souls
to grow less instead of greater. He it
seems to me that the children going
out of these homes, and leading them-
selves, as they often may, in refined
and polite society for a time, become
disappointed with home, and seek a
life that shall give them the advan-
tages which they suppose they cannot
obtain in the country. Is it not truly
to be so intent upon the things which
perish with the wind, as to forget
higher aims? Is it not an evil—
perhaps often thought to be an ad-
vantage—because they neglect to
nurture their children in the posses-
sion of every day life, to say nothing
of the small sweet courtesies, the true
sense of grace and freedom of soul,
and the notion of a Model Home pos-
sible and the efforts of a better way.

will not be half so much his as that of
his weak and foolish parents. On the
other hand, if a boy has been brought
up to do his part, never to shirk his re-
sponsibility, or to dodge his work
whether or not it made his head ache,
or soiled his hands until bearing bur-
dens has become a matter of pride, the
heavy end of the log his choice, par-
ents as they bid him goodbye may dis-
miss their fear. The elements of suc-
cess are his, and some time and in
some way the world will recognize his
capacity.

Goodbye Mother.
It is recorded that when the plague
broke out in a little village of Italy,
the children of one house were taken
first. The parents watched over them
but only caught the disease they could
not cure. The whole family died.
Then across the street, in the home of
a poor laborer, who was absent all the
week, returning only on Saturday to
bring his scanty earnings, the disease
went. The wife felt herself at-
tacked in the night by the fever.
When morning dawned she was worse,
and before night the plagued spot
showed itself. She remembered the
terrible fate of her neighbors. She
knew she must die, but, as she looked
at her dear boys, she resolved not to
communicate death to them. She there-
fore locked the children in the room,
and snatched the bedclothes, fearing
they were already impregnated with
the dreadful germs, and with them
left the house. She even denied her-
self the pleasure of a last embrace.
Oh! think of the heroism which en-
abled her to conquer her feelings and
leave home with all she loved—to die!
Her eldest child saw her from the win-
dow. "Goodbye, mother," said he,
with a tender voice, wondering why
she left so strangely. "Goodbye,
mother," repeated the youngest child,
stretching his little hands out of the
window. The mother paused. Her
heart was drawn towards those little
ones, and she was on the point of
rushing back. She struggled hard,
while the tears rolled down her cheeks,
at the sight of her helpless babes. At
length she turned from them. The
children continued to cry. "Goodbye,
mother," until their voices died away,
and the mother with an anguished
heart, entered the house of those who
were to bury her. In a short time she
died, and with her dying breath com-
mended her husband and children to
the care of heaven. Was ever other love
like that! Only once, when for the
plague smitten race it hung in bleeding
array on the cross. Rabidness of a
mother's love, the not so striking as
this, are by no means rare. Live where
the way, and how she will, a mother
is a mother still, the holiest thing
alive.

There are fewer red noses among
farmers than among any other class of
people on earth.

Keep out of the stock market if it
is filled with snakes and pit falls and is
no place for honest men.

The wind that strikes the mountains,
Comes more softly to the lesser hills,
And softly comes the wind to those,
Where heaven rules their wills.

Ask no man to do for you that which
you are able and willing to do for your-
self.

Sleep clear of store debts. They are
mortgages on the future, drawing com-
pound interest.

Honest labor has a lovely face.

* * * God answers prayer—
Answers always, everywhere;
I may cast my anxious care—
Burdens I could never bear,
On the God who heareth prayer.

Don't think you can carry the world
on your shoulders. Give the rest of the
folks a chance to lift with you.

Many a man who strongly objects to
pumping water for a half-dozen cows,
thinks nothing of sitting around for
half a day pumping his neighbors.

One of the first requisites for real
success in life is character. Strong,
steady, honest effort and unselfish work
will surely lead to the truest and high-
est success.

Get happiness when you are young
and store it away for the time you may
need it in future life. Remember you
can have anything you choose to have.

Nothing in this world is worth any
thing unless you work for it. Stand up
for your country, whether in war or in
peace. Remember you must carry on
the work of the fathers. You are
bound in honor to make America a
thoroughly good country.

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Rejected Butter Found Words That
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She had refused him, and he stood
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For I'm to be queen of May, mother,
I have the biggest hat.

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wonder at the man's stupidity.

"Why," he replied, "I'm the boy."

And he proved to be.

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A crowded house, and an attentive audience greeted Miss Ellen M. Stone, from the foreign missionary field in Turkey, as she arose to speak, in the Congregationalist Church last Sunday evening. All four of the churches were represented in the audience. The service opened with a voluntary on the organ, Rev. J. W. Chesbro, pastor of the Baptist Church then led in a short praise service and offered the invocation. Scripture lesson read by Rev. T. N. Kewley, pastor of the Methodist Church, followed by prayer by Rev. J. H. Little, of the Universalist Church. Rev. A. P. McWhorter presided and introduced Miss Stone. After speaking of the condition of the country where she had labored, and contrasting the limited privileges of the people there, with the liberty and freedom in every way, of the people of the United States, she proceeded to give the history of her capture by the Brigands of Turkey, her treatment while a prisoner at the account of her release.

The pitiable condition of the people of the action of Turkey, in Europe and Asia, where the mission in which she labored is located, was described, and the contrast between that and the condition of our people here was sufficient to suggest lessons of devout gratitude to God for the blessings with which our lowliest homes, even, are surrounded. It was a good object lesson. A collection was taken for the work in Turkey. Miss Stone is an easy speaker and held the close attention of her audience to the close.

Fire.

Early last week a fire started on the roof of the Cummings Manufacturing Co.'s building, South Paris, and for a few moments there was a lively rush to meet the danger, a line of hose was quickly laid and the burning shingles were wet down to the great satisfaction of the owners of the buildings and surrounding property. The damage was slight.

About 6 p. m., Sunday, fire was discovered in the ell of the house owned by J. K. Edwards, out beyond Steep Falls in Norway, on the Oxford road. The place is half a mile beyond the nearest hydrant in the village corporation limits. A line of hose was laid to the fire and a man's tub was brought into service but there was not force enough from the hydrant to enable the firemen to do more than to wet down the grass to stop the fire from running into the fields, and play on the ruins after the buildings were burned down. House ell and barn were burned, and some furniture but most of the furniture in the lower story was saved. The families of Mr. Edwards and Harry O. Hilmson had been occupying the house, but are away for the summer at Conway, N. H., and had been gone several weeks. There is an insurance of \$1500 on the buildings and furniture but the loss is estimated to be about \$2000.

A lamp exploded in the house of Geo. Locke, near the Corn shop, about 10 o'clock Sunday night, and Norway seemed for a few moments to be in a fair way of having a lively fire at that end of the village but prompt action quickly put an end to this blaze leaving a damage of about \$100.

Saturday afternoon a spark from a passing locomotive started a grass fire near the Nichols street crossing and only the timely discovery by Mr. Bennett, who was working in his garden near by, and his hurried rush to meet the flames, with the aid of the man working with him, saved Mr. Bennett's buildings.

The exceedingly dry condition of grass and buildings in these two villages, and the thought of fire-archers, and rockets next Friday night is cause for much anxiety on the part of our citizens. If we do not have rain before then, the citizens who have a water service which can be used for the purpose, will do well if they wet down their buildings and grounds thoroughly Friday afternoon, and evening. Fourth of July fire is high in the loss of property, in all our large towns and villages.

New Water System.

Preparations are being made for putting in the new water system in South Paris, by private enterprise leaving it to the option of the village corporation to take it at any time that the people so desire.

A Picture.

The scene is at the crossing of a little stream between Trap corner and Steep Falls, on the road between West Paris and South Paris. The bridge is up, parts of a new fire village are in place,

and other parts are too short, and not according to plans, so further work is stopped for the present. Two automobiles and a team approaching from one side, one auto halted on the other side, and a team approaching, all within five minutes. One of the two auto's turned back, the other of the two, a large touring car approaches the bridge, and halts, considers the alternative of a retreat and a long trip of several miles around over hard hills, or a plunge down the steep bank at an angle of about 45 degrees into the brook, up the other bank, if lucky enough to get through into the road on the other side. This was the situation. The decision was to run the car, and the passengers alight and one by one clamber down the bank crossing the water on a stick of timber, which looked like an old stringer of the worn out wooden bridge, and gain the other bank. The big car, like a horse hesitated at the top of the bank, then made the plunge, and was in the water in an instant, at the word from one of the party "let her go" the machine jumped as the power was let on, and out of the water and up the other bank it went, landing safely, ready for a continuance of the interrupted trip. The team following this car, attempted to go by, and down the bank before the car was ready to make the trial, but the horse on approaching the steep incline to the water did not like the looks of the situation nor the nearness of the auto and with a swift jump to the right he nearly landed the carriage over the bank, but the driver headed the horse for the open field, and quickly had him under control with but little damage to the carriage.

After the auto passed over, then, the team tried it again and this time with success, though the horse did not like going down so steep a bank into unknown depths of water to wade through, which was nearly up to the hubs of the wheels.

As it was, all landed safe, but when we left the scene the small auto had not attempted the passage, and from its side of the stream the passage looked like an impossibility, as the bank it would have to climb after getting into the water was too steep to even suggest a successful climb out.

There was no sign either at Trap corner or Steep Falls indicating that the bridge was up. If there had been probably neither of the parties which figured in this scene would have entered on this piece of road from either side but would have gone round over the hills. The temporary arrangement for crossing was insufficient, and it was only good luck that saved these parties from serious accident and injury. It was an experience that none of the parties would care to repeat. The query is why were not the signs required by law posted at the intersection of the nearest cross roads back from the bridge, each way?

SOUTH PARIS.

Mrs. C. L. Buck is visiting her parents at their home, Scarborough. Dr. Buck spent Sunday with them.

Mr. Walter Deussen was given a surprise party on his birthday last Saturday. About twenty-five were present. Refreshments were served. Among those present were his parents who reside in Bethel.

Miss Mary Taylor was in town Sunday.

Miss Edith Willis who teaches in Bethel, Mass., returned home Friday for her summer vacation.

Mr. A. R. Harlow has returned to his home in Ansonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Phillips spent Sunday in Bethel.

The Epworth League will meet at Mrs. DeKey Wheeler's, Wednesday evening. All members are requested to attend.

Miss Olive Swett and Mrs. Rose Abbott and two children are here visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Swett.

Miss Josephine Waldron has returned from Boston.

Miss Lillian Walker of Canton is in town.

This year it has been decided that the four churches will unite and have a picnic at Olden's grove on Thursday, July 9, 1908.

There will be no Fourth of July celebration.

Miss Florence Jewett of Denmark is visiting friends here.

BEAR DID NOT LEARN.

Mr. John H. Martin, hunter, trapper and guide of Red Hill and White Cap, put the allotted life span of years, recently got the idea that some bear must be a little better off than the usual bear to get away with, and to raise a new head of bear.

Mr. Martin and Virgil Abbott set a trap on Glen Face Mountain. The next day they went to it, and sure enough there was a bear in the trap. Mr. Abbott shot him. It was found that he had been in a trap before, for a portion of his lower jaw was gone. She was this, but the jaw was new and sharp.

NORWAY.

Ralph I. Trank of the "Worcester Telegram," and wife are enjoying a short vacation in town visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hayes.

Earl Thibodeau graduate of Norway High '07, returned from Tufts College for the summer.

Several lads have formed an amusement enterprise with headquarters in Merton Tower's stable, or to be more genteel "The Tower's Opera House." Last Saturday was the opening day so the kids hustled up their paper, sold real tickets for real money and bally-hoed the show like the big ones. Ned Shepard escaped from chains and boxes, Clayton Heath gave some weird character make-ups and Merton Tower acted as general manager and keeper of the swampan.

Arch deacon Seymour conducted services in the Episcopal church last Sunday morning, followed by Holy Communion. Christ church was tastefully decorated with wild flowers, ferns and potted plants for the occasion. A choir composed of the young fingers of the Guild, rendered appropriate music and chants.

Contractor C. H. Adams has his hands full this summer looking after his several business enterprises well under way. He has two contracts in Norway and three out of town including an elegant cottage on the shore of Thompson Lake at Oxford.

B. P. Spinney & Co. are beginning to manufacture shoes in earnest after several months of quiet work. The cutting department started this week on two hundred dozen pairs daily with a large line of samples extra.

Arthur E. Norworthy is giving instructions to the new band lately organized at Oxford. The boys down there are doing well under Mr. Norworthy and show great improvement.

The Gamewell Company of Boston have the new storage battery installed at the power station. Up to this time our Fire-alarm System was controlled only by the gravity calls using blue vitriol for chemical action, costing over \$100 a year for maintenance, besides giving uncertain results. Under the new arrangement electricity is constantly being stored from the dynamo at a slight cost, without trouble or care, giving a reliable current at all times.

Norway Cornet Band draw a large number of people from both villages to the Fair Grounds Saturday afternoon. The band did their street work via the electric car.

All who own cottages up the lake had open house Sunday. Such an exodus took place that every available water craft was brought into service. "Steamer Zanita" made extra trips, using also Carl Foss launch "Spray." The Hamer boys did good business with their craft "Portland," even those having canoes picked up odd change, entering to many anxious for a shady nook along the lake shore.

Fire consumed the large set of farm buildings on the Gibbs place so called Sunday between 6 and 7 p. m. These buildings were the last in Norway, situated nearly on the Oxford town line about a mile from our Post-office on the road to Mechanic Falls. The alarm was rung in at 6:10 and before 7 the smoldering framework only showed where this fine set of buildings once stood; the whole going up like so much tinder. Mr. Hilmson, the present owner and family have been away for several weeks, so the house was left alone. Many stories are afloat concerning the origin of the trouble, each alleging one will be run down if possible and the cause located.

The same evening at 10 o'clock a second alarm for the day was rung in from upper Water street. This time the Corn Shop box called out the whole department to a blaze in Geo. Lockes house, which they quickly squelched. All out sounded at 10:30.

The Dry Goods, Clothing, Millinery, and Shoe Stores at Norway, will be open Friday evening, July 3rd and closed all day Saturday, July 4th.

WELCHVILLE.

Miss Lettie Smith was in Norway and Paris one day last week.

Everett Staples is having his house painted. It is a very great improvement.

A party of young people, numbering eighteen, from this place, went on a straw ride over to Eugene Heras' in Bethel last Thursday night and hung a June bug.

Col. J. H. French gave a lecture about Rome, the eternal city, with illustrating stereopticon views last Saturday night. He gave it for the benefit of the church, and with the proceeds from the lecture for itself and the ice cream that was sold, nearly thirty dollars was realized.

Mr. Charles Needham has sold his farm in Bethel Oxford and has moved his family to Mechanic Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Chaplin, who have recently been in Boston visiting their son, Fred Chaplin, have returned to their home in this place.

School closed here June 19th.

A party of young people took a carriage ride to the Bethel Fairgrounds and while out on the highway they saw a fine old dog.

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MAINE CENTRAL R. R.

In effect June 22, 1908.

Trains leave Rumford Falls at 5:40 a. m., 8:45 a. m., 2:25 p. m. week days; 5:10 p. m. Sunday, for Lewiston, Portland and Boston. 10:40 a. m., 4:35 p. m. week days, and 9:45 a. m. Sundays for Ogunquit.

Trains arrive in Rumford Falls at 10:40 a. m., 4:45 and 7:50 p. m. week days, and 9:35 a. m. Sundays from Lewiston, Portland and Boston.

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GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM

In Effect June 21

Trains Going East.

	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.
Island Pond, leave	1:40	6:25	1:20
Gorham,.....	3:30	8:20	2:59
Bellevue,.....	3:51	8:40	3:17
West Bethel,.....	4:02	8:51	3:28
BETHEL,.....	4:12	9:01	3:35
Locke's Mills,....		9:11	3:42
Bryant's Pond,....	4:29	9:20	3:48
South Paris,.....	4:58	9:50	4:12
Lewiston, arrive..	5:55	10:55	5:00
Portland ".....	6:50	11:45	5:45

Trains Going West.

	a. m.	p. m.	p. m.
Portland, leave...	8:05	1:30	8:30
Lewiston,.....	8:50	2:25	9:18
South Paris,.....	9:50	3:35	10:15
Bryant's Pond,...	10:18	4:11	10:45
Locke's Mill's,...	10:26	4:18	10:53
BETHEL,.....	10:35	4:27	11:03
West Bethel,.....	10:42	4:35	11:10
Gorham,.....	10:53	4:51	11:22
Island Pond, arrive	11:17	5:20	11:45
Montreal,.....		7:30	7:30

The train leaving Island Pond at 1:20 p. m. and the one leaving Portland at 8:05 a. m. carries a Cafe Parlor Car.

Sunday excursions to Gorham and Berlin commence June 7th and continue to and including October 25th.

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Foxy Mother. "Mother, George proposed to me last night." "Is that so? I guess your father and I had better object to him and then he'll surely marry you." "With such a foxy trick as this being put up for him, there was no chance for George to escape."—Detroit Free Press.

Escape from Contemporary History. Manager—How did the woman look who put in this matrimonial advertisement?

Clerk—For one thing, she was dressed fit to kill. Manager (sneeringly)—Then I guess we had better not insert it.—Boston Herald.

OXFORD.

Twenty of the young people took a ride to Casco one night last week. Everett Cook went to Kineo last Thursday, where he has a situation in the Kineo Hotel.

Mrs. Laura Holt and children are visiting her brother, Fred DeLano.

W. C. Turner died on Greek pass from his garden, June 23rd.

Stella Wilson of Oakland visited friends in town recently.

S. A. Millott and family, of West Paris and Bert Millott, of South Paris, attended the funeral of their mother, last week.

The Oxford band has been reorganized and Arthur Norworthy has been engaged as instructor.

Bertha Kavanagh visited in Portland two days last week.

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MEXICO AND RIDLONVILLE.

The Week's News as Gathered by our Special Correspondent

Mrs. Della McLain of Lewiston came Saturday to spend some time with her son, H. L. Ames and wife.

Oscar Davis and Percy Edgcomb left Friday for Kennebunk, the latter's home, where Oscar spent the night, leaving Saturday to join his parents in Boston.

Mrs. Tyler's sister came Saturday to spend a few days with her.

Earl Crommett is spending a few weeks with his grandfather at Hop City.

While Bert Ames and his wife were out driving last Friday the horse became frightened and threw them both out of the carriage. They were not seriously hurt, although they were badly shaken up and bruised.

Mrs. Amy Sparring of Auburn is the guest of Gladys Howard for a few days.

W. S. Crommett has purchased a wood lot on Thompson Hill and is having the wood cut.

Frances Packard came down from South Rangleys Thursday to be present at the Graduating Exercises, returning Friday.

Mrs. Emily Mendall returned Friday from a visit to her granddaughter Mrs. Frank Proctor of Strathglass Park.

Richard Whitman and wife have moved into the Davenport house on Roxbury Ave.

Mrs. Chas. Keyo is entertaining her grandmother from Andover.

The I. B. M. W. E. of which F. J. Grant is President, met last Sunday at Oquossoc.

Mrs. Herbert Jordan of Portland spent Friday at Kennebago Farm near Oquossoc.

Wilbur Farrar of South Paris was in town Saturday on business.

Mrs. A. W. Wakefield, accompanied by Mrs. Herbert Wakefield and daughter Marion, Mrs. Atwood and son of Bath, returned to her home Saturday. Mrs. Wakefield is in very poor health and is expecting now to leave next Tuesday for the hospital in Lewiston for an operation.

The Grange Circle meets this Thursday with Mrs. Wm. Wagner of Roxbury Ave.

On June 22nd, born to the wife of Leon Haines, a twelve pound son.

School has once more ended and the teachers left the last of the week for their homes and many of them are not to return. Maude Merrill, in the fall is to take up a course of study in Syracuse, N. Y. college. Miss Morse will teach in Portland, Miss Goff in Rumford Falls. The Misses Dennett, Taylor and Deale also leave for other positions so the Fall term will commence with almost a new set of teachers. It is hoped that the new ones will be as competent and faithful as these teachers have been. All regret to see them go.

Mr. Graham, a student of the Cobb Divinity School of Lewiston, and a nephew of Elder Graham, who was formerly pastor of the Baptist Church of this town and Rumford, preached at the Congregational Church Sunday morning, substituting for Rev. J. G. Fisher, who is away on his vacation. Mrs. F. J. Grant of Main St., entertained Mr. Graham over Sunday.

Mr. C. S. Thomas, Mrs. Geo. Gleason, A. D. Woodrow and Mrs. W. H. Smith were in attendance at the No. Buckfield Grange meeting June 24.

The Ladies Sewing Circle of the Baptist Society was entertained Wednesday, June 24, by Mrs. Hattie E. Seaman.

J. W. Lacey has moved into Chas. Howard's house in Howardville.

BUMFORD POINT.
The prize speaking here last Thursday night was very much enjoyed by a large company of friends.

The parts were finely rendered and it was a hard question who should have the prize, but it was finally decided that Carol Elliott should have first prize for the boys and Clyde Lapham second.

Helen Hutchins and Alice Hopkins second for the girls. The program was:

Musie.
Clyde Lapham—"The Week of the Hesperus."
Eunice Penley—"Old Buxtedal Aard.".
Annie Howe—"Kentucky Bell."

Musie.
Guy Merrill—"John Burns of Gettysburg."
Eunice Martin—"The Legend Beautiful."
Howard Geddard—"Maecy."

Musie.
Laura Moody—"Mary Garvin."
Wm. Beaker—"George Nedderer."
Alice Hopkins—"The Catholic Hymn."

Musie.
Carol Elliott—"Allego Oh Can."
Beth O'Brien—"The Last Hymn."
Charles Hopkins—"Independence Bell."
Helen Hutchins—"Lones."

Musie.
A. J. Marble has purchased an auto, of Harry Hall, of Rumford.

Mrs. Madie Lapham is still on the sick list but has gone to her mother's in Milton for a time.

The Base Ball team won from East Bethel last Thursday, by a score of 15 to 2 at East Bethel.

The Newry Base Ball team played here Saturday, June 27 and those boys beat them 16 to 2.

They have won 6 out of 7 games played this season.

Rev. J. G. Fisher was in town Friday to attend the funeral of Thomas Murray who passed away at his home on Gibson Flats, on Wednesday of tuberculosis. The deceased was a former resident of Mexico.

Mrs. Perley Binford and Mrs. Samuel Childs of North Fryeburg called at Dr. Binford's Thursday.

Mrs. Vena Galloup and children started Monday morning to join her husband in the West.

Glen Fellows is able to be out again although not able to do much work.

Carroll Gleason and Victor Binford went fishing up Walker's brook two days last week.

Mrs. Edwin Gleason and three children left this week for Lewiston to spend a month near her sister.

Alberta McInnis has finished her school term and she and her brother Harold are spending a few days with Mrs. E. A. Abbott, Saturday and Sunday were spent with relatives in Frye.

Miss Mabel Irish of Buckfield is the guest of Mrs. Wallace Hodgdon for a few days.

Roy Taylor left Saturday morning to attend the Summer school at Harvard.

James Durnody has moved in to Dr. Binford's rent on Main street.

Laurence Clifford is visiting his grandmother in Milton for the summer vacation.

Mrs. McKinnon, who has been at a hospital in Boston for the last five weeks, returned to her home Tuesday.

Mrs. Nora Gleason is entertaining her parents, who came from South Rangleys Tuesday bringing her a fine mess of trout.

A. E. Small was in Portland Tuesday on business.

H. O. Gleason and wife moved into their new house on Roxbury Ave., Saturday and will be at home after July 10th.

Mrs. Wallace Moore spent a few days last week with her parents, Henry Park and wife.

Mrs. Rita Richards returned from South Paris Saturday, having finished her school term there.

Durwood Richards has returned home from Hebron Academy after spending a week with his uncle at South Paris.

The Ladies Aid of the Congregational Church Society will meet next Tuesday, July 7th, in the Church Parlor. All are requested to be present as there is business of importance to be transacted.

A Base Ball team has been organized in Mexico with Henry Parks for manager, Eddie Sheehan, Captain. The team will be made up of local players as far as possible.

Here's hoping that it may be wholly local, I. E. Mexico. There are enough that are good enough.

A fine course of entertainments were held last week at the Congregational church by C. H. French, magnificently illustrated by pictures. The lectures are entertainments in themselves as Mr. French has been over the ground himself and graphically describes his trips, with the aid of beautiful pictures. On Monday night, "Yellowstone National Park." Tuesday, "Japan." Wednesday, "Mount Pelée, Martinique and the Destruction of St. Pierre." Saturday, "San Francisco Earthquake." These lectures were enjoyed by many and were a pleasure as well as educational. Mr. French plans to come again next year with another series.

R. E. Knight and wife and friends from Portland visited at E. O. Austin's, West Park, Sunday, June 23.

The High School closed Friday, June 26, and the Primary is another week.

SUMMER.
Ada Glover is visiting her old home from Whitman, Mass.

W. E. Bowker and George Foster went to South Paris on business last week.

Kie Steison has a crew doing his kaying. A very light crop is reported.

George Spaulding is working for Alvin Robinson.

H. H. Beck and wife, Kie Steison and Mrs. Steison, were at Frank Harding's in Westbrook Sunday.

Clyde Burgess finished work for E. W. Spaulding and goes home to Peru.

Children's Day.
Valen Grange served Children's Day, June 27. It was one of the largest gatherings Union Grange ever held.

Worthy Master O. L. Nowell called the meeting to order when three candidates were introduced in the third and fourth degree.

At noon 54 children marched into the dining room and were served a regular Grange dinner, for cream bananas and candy. About 300 were entertained at dinner. The entertainment opened with a song by the choir. W. H. Bowman gave the address of welcome to the children in a very pleasing manner.

Then the children entertained the older ones for about an hour with the games, songs, and readings. All went home tired and happy to look forward to Children's Day in 1909.

CANTON HAPPENINGS.

As Observed and Told by the
Citizen Reporter.

L. W. Smith is on a trip to Boston. Mrs. Geo. K. Johnson has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Geo. Novens of Lewiston.

R. C. Bradford of Portland was in town, Friday.

Miss Mattie Hathaway returned home the first of the week from Washington, D. C.

Gladys Parlin is visiting relatives in Buckfield.

Mrs. Florence Fletcher has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. S. A. Childs. Bernice Stubbs of Rumford has been spending a ten-days vacation with her sister, Mrs. Charles Small, of Canton Point.

Herman Tirrell who has been quite ill for the past two weeks is a little better. He is attended by Dr. Morse.

Ponemah Rebekah Lodge entertained Good Faith Lodge of Buckfield to the number of fifth-two last Friday evening.

The visitors arrived on the 7:30 train, returning on the early train Saturday morning. After the business of the meeting three candidates were initiated, the degree staff of Good Faith Lodge exemplifying the work in a very creditable manner. Interesting speeches and a short entertainment followed the work.

A beautiful repast was served at the close of the meeting, which consisted of salads, cold meats, hot rolls, cake, ice-cream, fruit, etc. The tables were attractively decorated with ferns and bouquets of roses. The Opera House was opened for the entertainment of the guests and a social dance was held in which every one participated and a good social Rebekah time was enjoyed. Music was furnished by G. F. Towle, violin, Mrs. H. A. Irish, piano, and W. A. Lucas, cornet.

Mrs. Esther Hayford and daughter, Mrs. Isaac Tilley and two children, of Boston, are spending a season at their old home in town.

Ralph N. Gilbert returned Friday from the C. M. U. Hospital, where he has been for the past eight weeks, and with his family are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Gilbert. Mr. Gilbert is slowly improving in health.

On Tuesday, June 23, twins, a son and daughter were born to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Fuller.

Mrs. F. A. Smith and grandson, Geo. Grover are visiting relatives at Andover.

H. L. Tirrell is engaged in building a stable for W. H. Wyman.

Mrs. Harvey Russell of No. Abington, Mass., has been a guest at C. F. Oldham's the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd D. Stubbs are visiting in Eustis for a short time.

Mrs. Franklin Smith of Oxford is the guest of her parents, John Maxwell and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Holt of Portland have been stopping with M. L. A. Davis. Dr. and Mrs. Chas. Burgess of Lawrence, Mass., have arrived at their cottage on the shore of the Lake.

Mr. Will Bickford and wife of Auburn have been the guests of M. B. Packard and wife for a few days.

John N. Foye has returned from Cumberland.

Mrs. Lydia Stetson is visiting her daughter, Mrs. E. E. Hathaway, of Auburn.

Paulie Atkins of Livermore Falls was a recent guest of Caro Proctor.

Miss Floren S. Potter of Lisbon has been visiting for a week with Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Potter.

Sam Shackley is at work for W. H. Wyman.

Mrs. W. F. Fuller of No. Turner visited a few days last week with Mrs. W. E. Dresser.

W. H. Wyman and family of North Abington, Mass., have arrived to spend the summer months at their beautiful cottage on Foye Hill.

Frank M. Oliver is enjoying a needed and well merited vacation of three months from his duties in the railway station, this being his first vacation in nine years. O. A. Mills is substituting at this station, while Ned Russell is in Olliverville station.

C. F. Oldham and wife visited at Rumford, Sunday.

Mrs. J. C. Parlin entertained her sister, Mrs. B. A. Hatchinson, of Buckfield, Friday.

O. L. Wallis went to Bangor Monday as a delegate to the Republican State Convention.

M. A. Wallis is at the Tour Pond on a fishing trip.

The next meeting of the Universalist Circle will be held at the home of Mrs. A. A. Gibson on Thursday, July 23.

Lucy Whittier has returned to her home in Gorham.

W. N. Brown had the misfortune to lose a valuable cow in the pasture one day last week.

W. K. Deoster has taken the contract to erect a six-room house at Rumford for McKean and Stratton. He went to Rumford Monday to commence work.

Member Leon Whittemore is visiting his grandparents, J. P. Whittemore and wife of East Bethel.

G. F. Towle played for a social dance at the Point Saturday evening.



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The meeting of the Lucky Friday Club was postponed to Wednesday evening of this week, when it will meet with Mr. and Mrs. B. E. McCollister.

Young People's Day will be observed at Canton Grange at the next meeting, which will be in the evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Joel Taylor will enter upon his duties as Sept. of schools at this place the first of July.

Extensive preparations are being made for the celebration at Lake Umbagog on Saturday, July 4th.

Ethel Hutchinson graduated from Bates College and Sybil Hutchinson from Hebron Academy this month.

Mrs. Lola Ellis and children are visiting in Portland.

AN IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT.

The passenger department of the Grand Trunk Railway System has just made an important announcement in connection with the movement of passengers from Eastern to Western Canada. Commencing June 14th, and daily thereafter, the agents of the Grand Trunk in Ontario and Quebec, and connecting lines, will be able to issue all classes of tickets from Eastern to Western Canada via Chicago, St. Paul and Minneapolis at the lowest current fares by any route.

As the Grand Trunk Railway have a double track to Chicago from Montreal, Toronto, Hamilton, Brantford, Woodstock, Ingersoll, London and other principal stations in Quebec and Ontario, and maintains a superior train service including the famous "International Limited," it is expected that many passengers will prefer to travel by way of Chicago. In addition to this advantage, the Grand Trunk now offers the choice of seven connecting lines between Chicago, St. Paul and Minneapolis, while north of St. Paul and Minneapolis, a choice of three connecting lines will be available. Many Canadians have friends and relatives residing at Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis and other large American cities passed through by the new routes, who will doubtless appreciate the opportunity thus afforded of a brief visit at the stations in such cities.

All arrangements have been completed so that the luggage of passengers will be carried "rough the United States in bond without requiring any special attention on the part of passengers, and there will be no detention or inspection of such passengers at any point in the United States.

While through cars will not at present be operated beyond Chicago, it is believed that many passengers making so great a journey will much prefer the comfortable transfer at points like Chicago and St. Paul into freshly ventilated clean cars. The connecting lines from Chicago are credited with running some of the finest limited and other passenger trains on the American continent.

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white silk. The Gypsies and Bowing (Dubs of which she was a member were present also the immediate relatives of the bride. The going away gown was a lovely shade of brown chiffon panama with hat to match. The gifts were many and beautiful. The happy couple left on the 2:30 train for Connecticut where they will remain for a time with a sister of the groom, before going to their home in New York. The couple have many friends here who extend congratulations and wish them years of unbroken happiness.

Children's Day was observed by Mt.

Sugar Loaf Grange Saturday. A dinner was served at noon. Recitations and singing was rendered by the club.

Mr. A. S. Hinds and party from Portland were in town Tuesday. They took an auto trip from their summer home at Mooselockmeguntic to Bridgeport, returning Friday. While in town they stopped at the National House and called at the home of C. L. Dillingham and several other town friends.

Mrs. E. C. McLain of Berry Mills was a guest of Mrs. E. W. Murch several days last week.

Hon. D.W. Berry of Carthage was in town Tuesday running lines for Mr. Burt Willoughby.

Mrs. Chas. Kidder of East Peru, was

A guest of her sister, Mrs. Clarence Danforth several days last week she

Mrs. Isabel Russell entertained at tea, Tuesday Miss Josie Marsh, Miss Edna and Ina Edmunds, Miss Mary

Stowell, Miss Willie Russell, Arthur Stowell and Adolph Walters.
W. G. and Gertrude Harlow with Mrs. Wynnefred Smith attended the

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The members of Monitor Chapter were very pleasantly entertained by Mt. Zion Chapter at Ramford, Wednesday

of last week, during the exercise given by the visiting Commanderies of Bath and Lewiston, a delicious lunch was served at the vestry of the Universallist

church. Those who went from here to the Rangeleys were Messrs G. L. Merrill, H. G. Thayer, S. J. Sturtevant, D. A. Gates, T. P. and Dana Holt. The occasion was one of unusual interest and

Frank Stanley, wife and daughter, Susie, were in town Saturday and Sunday calling on relatives and friends, they

returned to their home at Klingfield, Sunday, making the trip in their auto. Mrs. J. M. Holland is visiting relatives and friends at Canton, Massachusetts.

Hon. G. L. Merrill and family went Tuesday to their summer home at Sears-

John Holland and family from Rumford were guests at the home of his father, J. M. Holland, Sunday.

March were guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Walters at their cottage at Lake Webb a few days last week.

Main street this week. While the crew of Italians were working Thursday, the rocks and earth caved in on one man, so there had to be him out. The heavy

and ankle were sprained so he was unable to work for the remainder of the day. He was taken to their house on

The entertainment given by Col. C. H. French at Mason Opera Hall, Thursday evening, under the auspices of the

Dr. C. H. Tracey of Auburn, supplied for the F. B. churches here and at West Park, Sunday. He was entertained

Eden and Angie Berry with Miss
Hattie Savage of Carthage were in town
Saturday, to attend the ball game play-

The Universalist Church Aid Society will hold a food and women sale at their

will meet in their new apartment at 2001 Broadway in Masonic building this Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The Society will then adjourn their meetings until September.

Mr. and Mrs. David Atkins went to North Yarmouth this Thursday. Mr. Atkins will help Mr. Oscar Delleff about his haying.

The young people of the Universalist Sunday school enjoyed a hayrack ride to Bryant Park last Tuesday, June 12, start-

ing about eight o'clock and returning in the late afternoon. The company to the number of thirty were given the courtesy of Dearborn's grove, and had a very pleasant

ing. They took a picnic dinner, and by the kindness of some of the West Paris picnic were given a treat of ice cream and macaroni. Although the morning ride was rather hot and dusty, the afternoon proved

very cool and enjoyable. The party was taken by Geo. L. Briggs with four horses. The leading spin belonged to W. G. Hammond who accompanied the party. It was

Among visitors in town are Mrs. Ralph Baker of West Acton, Mass., at

M. D. Clark, and Mrs. Samuel Clifford
of North Haysville, N. H., at M. S.
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Mrs. Osborne and granddaughter, Mrs.

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